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2020 PINOT NOIR, BUSH CRISPO VINEYARD

APPELLATION
Russian River Valley

AGING
16 months
33% new French oak

CLONES
74% Pommard
26% Clone 115

ALCOHOL
14.3%

This vintage was characterized by a smaller crop and moderate to warm growing conditions, resulting in one of the earliest harvests on record. The vines, nurtured by the Bush Crispo family on a compact 4.5-acre parcel, are split almost evenly between the Pommard block planted in 2008 and the 115-block planted in 1998. This vintage also commemorates a decade of crafting a single vineyard Pinot Noir from this esteemed property.

The final blend maintains a balance between the two clones. The 115 grapes, harvested first, yield tiny clusters bursting with potent, dark fruit notes reminiscent of black currants, anise, and baking spices. On the other hand, the Pommard, imparts a more floral character with hints of violets, Asian plum sauce, and pomegranate.

In the glass, this harmonious interplay achieves a perfect equilibrium, showcasing beautiful freshness and integrated tannins. This Pinot Noir stands out as one of the boldest offerings in our portfolio, and we raise a glass to the Bush Crispo family for another remarkable decade of dedication and excellence!

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